UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA DURHAM DIVISION

In Re:

Melena Bullard Mcneil

Case No. 10-80005

Chapter 13

Soc. Sec. No. xxx-xx-9797

Mailing Address: 411 Mount Zion Church Road, Maxton, NC 28364

Debtor

MOTION TO MODIFY PLAN

NOW COMES the Debtor, by and through counsel undersigned, who moves, under authority of 11 U.S.C. § 1329, to modify the Chapter 13 plan in this case, and in support hereof, the Debtor shows unto this Court the following:

- 1. This case was filed on January 4, 2010, with the Chapter 13 plan being subsequently confirmed on May 27, 2010.
- 2. The Debtor proposes to modify the Chapter 13 plan in this case in the following respects:

From: \$2,118.00 per month

To: \$2,118.00 per month through December, 2010, followed thereafter by \$2,043.00 per month, starting in February 2011.

- 3. In addition, the Debtor requests a "waiver" to move her Chapter 13 plan payment delinquency to the end of the Chapter 13 plan for payment. As a condition of receiving these waivers, the Debtor agrees that, should any subsequent payments be more than thirty (30) days delinquent within the twelve (12) months following the entry of this Order, that the Debtor's case may be dismissed without further hearing by the Court. The Debtor agrees that any Order allowing such waivers shall not be *res judicata* as to timely Motions for Relief filed by secured creditors in this case.
- 4. The changed circumstances that justify the proposed modification are as follows:
 - a. The debtor continues to be unemployed as has not been able to find steady employment.
 - b. The debtor's spouse's income suffered an injury at work and was put on light duty for a number of months, which caused the debtor to get behind with her plan payments. The debtor's spouse has since returned to work, but his monthly income has decreased by approximately \$179.00 per month.
 - c. The debtor's children need additional clothing for the winter months, and the debtor's

10 year old daughter is in need of glasses.

- 5. An Amended Schedule I for the Debtor is attached hereto and is incorporated hereto by reference.
- 6. An Amended Schedule J for the Debtor is attached hereto and is incorporated by reference.
- 7. The proposed modification conforms to the standards of confirmation set out in 11 U.S.C. §§ 1322 and 1325.

Appended Application for an Additional Attorney Fee

- 8. Counsel for the Debtor further applies herein, in accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 2016(b), for approval an attorney fee in the amount of \$250.00 to pay for the reasonable value of the services rendered, and to be rendered, with respect to this motion to modify, including, without limitation, the following:
 - a. Calls from and to the Debtor to discuss changes in her situation which necessitate this motion, to explain the procedures and requirements involved, and to advise the Debtor accordingly; and
 - b. Contact with the Trustee's office concerning the proposed modification; and
 - c. Re-evaluating and recalculating the Chapter 13 plan in this case; and
 - d. Drafting this Motion and Certificate of Service; and
 - e. Service of the Motion on all interested parties, which includes all creditors scheduled in this case, at the expense of the undersigned law firm; and
 - f. Filing of the Motion; and
 - g. Prospective attendance with Debtor at the hearing upon the motion, if any; and
 - h. Prospective drafting and filing of the proposed Order and Deputy Clerk's Certificate of Service; and
 - i. Prospective follow-up instructions to client, as will be necessary, following the granting of this motion.

These services were not taken into account in the contract for legal services entered into between the undersigned and the Debtor.

WHEREFORE, the Debtor prays that this Court grant her Motion, and modify the Chapter 13 plan accordingly. In addition, counsel undersigned requests that this Court approve a fee in the amount of \$250.00 to compensate undersigned for the services rendered or to be rendered with respect to this motion, said fee to be paid by the Chapter 13 Trustee as an administrative claim in this case.

Dated: December 29, 2010

LAW OFFICES OF JOHN T. ORCUTT, P.C.

/s Koury Hicks

Koury Hicks

North Carolina State Bar No.: 36204

6616-203 Six Forks Road Raleigh, N.C. 27615 (919) 847-9750

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Renee Nolte, certify under penalty of perjury that I am, and at all times hereinafter mentioned was, more than eighteen (18) years of age and that on December 30, 2010, I served copies of the foregoing MOTION TO MODIFY PLAN by regular first-class U.S. mail or by electronic servicing, when available addressed to the following parties:

Richard M. Hutson, II Chapter 13 Trustee P.O. Box 3613 Durham, N.C. 27702-3613

Michael West U.S. Bankruptcy Administrator P.O. Box 1828 Greensboro, N.C. 27402-1828

Melena Bullard Mcneil 411 Mount Zion Church Road, Maxton, NC 28364-

All creditors with duly filed claims as listed on the Trustee's website.

/s Renee Nolte

Renee Nolte

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SCHEDULE I - CURRENT INCOME OF INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR(S)

The column labeled "Spouse" must be completed in all cases filed by joint debtors and by every married debtor, whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed. Do not state the name of any minor child. The average monthly income calculated on this form may differ from the current monthly income calculated on Form 22A, 22B, or 22C.

Debtor's Marital Status:	DEPENDEN	DEPENDENTS OF DEBTOR AND SPOUSE				
Married	RELATIONSHIP(S): Daughter Daughter Son		AGE(S): 10 5 5			-
Employment:	DEBTOR		-t	SPOUSE		
Occupation		Truc	k Driver			
Name of Employer	Unemployed Since June 2009	Mou	ntaire Farm	18		
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7. Regular income from opera	ation of business or profession or farm (Attach detailed	statement)	\$	0.00	\$	0.00
8. Income from real property	•	ŕ	\$	0.00	\$ -	0.00
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14. SUBTOTAL OF LINES 7	THROUGH 13		\$	1,787.33	\$	0.00
15. AVERAGE MONTHLY I	NCOME (Add amounts shown on lines 6 and 14)		\$	1,787.33	\$ _	2,198.87
16. COMBINED AVERAGE	MONTHLY INCOME: (Combine column totals from	line 15)		\$	3,986	5.20

(Report also on Summary of Schedules and, if applicable, on Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data)

^{17.} Describe any increase or decrease in income reasonably anticipated to occur within the year following the filing of this document:

-NONE-

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SCHEDULE J - CURRENT EXPENDITURES OF INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR(S)

Complete this schedule by estimating the average or projected monthly expenses of the debtor and the debtor's family at time case filed. Prorate any payments made bi-weekly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually to show monthly rate. The average monthly expenses calculated on this form may differ from the deductions from income allowed on Form 22A or 22C.

Check this box if a joint petition is filed and debtor's spouse maintains a separate household. Compexpenditures labeled "Spouse."	plete a separ	ate schedule of
1. Rent or home mortgage payment (include lot rented for mobile home)	\$	0.00
a. Are real estate taxes included? Yes No X	<u> </u>	
b. Is property insurance included? Yes No X		
2. Utilities: a. Electricity and heating fuel	\$	287.50
b. Water and sewer	\$	10.00
c. Telephone	\$	62.00
d. Other See Detailed Expense Attachment	\$	318.70
3. Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$	60.00
4. Food	\$	600.00
5. Clothing	\$	16.00
6. Laundry and dry cleaning	\$	0.00
7. Medical and dental expenses	\$	60.00
8. Transportation (not including car payments)	\$	232.00
9. Recreation, clubs and entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$	0.00
10. Charitable contributions	\$	0.00
11. Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in home mortgage payments)		
a. Homeowner's or renter's	\$	53.00
b. Life	\$	40.00
c. Health	\$	0.00
d. Auto	\$	129.00
e. Other	\$	0.00
12. Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in home mortgage payments)		
(Specify) See Detailed Expense Attachment	\$	75.00
13. Installment payments: (In chapter 11, 12, and 13 cases, do not list payments to be included in the		,
plan)		
a. Auto	\$	0.00
b. Other	\$	0.00
c. Other	\$	0.00
14. Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$	0.00
15. Payments for support of additional dependents not living at your home	\$	0.00
16. Regular expenses from operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ <u></u>	0.00
17. Other Chapter 13 Plan Payment	\$ 	2,043.00
Other	\$	0.00
18. AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENSES (Total lines 1-17. Report also on Summary of Schedules	\$	3,986.20
and, if applicable, on the Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data.)		
19. Describe any increase or decrease in expenditures reasonably anticipated to occur within the year		
following the filing of this document:		
None	_	
20. STATEMENT OF MONTHLY NET INCOME	=	
a. Average monthly income from Line 15 of Schedule I	\$	3,986.20
b. Average monthly expenses from Line 18 above	\$	3,986.20
c. Monthly net income (a. minus b.)	\$	0.00

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SCHEDULE J - CURRENT EXPENDITURES OF INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR(S) **Detailed Expense Attachment**

Other Utility Expenditures:	
Cablevision	\$ 85.00
Internet	\$ 25.00
Cellular Phone	\$ 208.70
Total Other Utility Expenditures	\$ 318.70
Specific Tax Expenditures:	
Personal Property Taxes	\$ 25.00
Real Property Taxes	\$ 50.00
Total Tax Expenditures	\$ 75.00